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Local Department.

Mrs. O. S. Wood of Ionia is the guest of Mrs. B. F. Heckert.

E. A. Crane of Kalamazoo was in town on business, Tuesday. L. H. Titus has been confined to his

house for several days with fever. Wesley Thomas is home from the

Toronto, Ont., veterinary college. J. H. Cleveland of Robinson, Ills., is

Mrs. B. F. Warner left Monday for | March 5. Wichita, Kas., where she was called by the serious illness of her sister.

Paw. Next Monday will be "pension day." Chandler's Monday at [1927] R. M. Buck will execute all vouchers instead of on Saturday at his old rooms over the postoffice.

Remember that Harry Showerman church will hold their quarterly tea all village merchants. As to taxation, the constant shoes left, which he will sell at one-half Walker, Tuesday, March 5. the regular price.

Two unerring indications of the appearance of the narrow gauge. Trade is good at Cumings' dry goods

store, made so by the "always the lowest prices" for which this firm is gaining so much notoriety just now. Mrs. C. P. Freer, living six miles north of Paw Paw, will sell her per-sonal property at auction on Thursday,

March 7th, commencing at 10 a. m. Rev. I. P. Bates has been engaged to

remain with the Oshtemo church another year. He has just completed his third year's work with that charge. S. D. Sweetland of Decatur was in

bank, sold at auction judgments against till seven. A musical program will be four different residents of that place in given in the evening. A cordial invitafavor of the bank aggregating \$383.54. tion is extended to all. Supper 15 names on the several petitions, many The amount realized was \$60.60. No cents. wonder the bank failed, carrying that

A local union of christian young peo- Our Esteemed Townsman Suddenly Sumple's societies has been formed, in which are included the three christian E. A CRANE Vice Pres., JOHN W. FREE, endeavor societies of this village and the Epworth league. The affairs of the the Epworth league. The affairs of the union are in the hands of an executive committee, and it is designed to have union young people's meetings at least once in two months. the Epworth league. The affairs of the once in two months.

day evening of last week, to hear the lecture of the eloquent L. Morgan Wood. This gentleman was not a stranger to a Paw Paw audience and those who attended anticipated a rare intellectured the stranger to a Paw Paw audience and the funeral of his friend Mr. Pack. He township of Antwerp returned appeared to be in his usual hard that the names of electors on such poll lists.

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The Coterie is entitled to the thanks of the community for bringing in so high a class of entertainments.

At the republican village caucus Monday evening, there was a good attendance of working republicans and the following excellent nominations were made: President, J. C. Warner; recorder, David Anderson; treasurer, H. W. Showerman; trustee (to fill vacancy), Wm. M. Thayer; trustees (full term), A. Hathaway, T. C. Tyner, I. Jay Cumings; assessors, W. L. Sirrine, Jas. H. Waters. The registration list shows that the republicans have a small majority in this village, and nothing but stay-at-homes can defeat the above ticket, which can easily be elected from top to bottom if a proper effort is made. For several years past, this willows here here eleved the sand summoned medical aid, but to no avail, as death followed within a very few minutes—just as the final requiem was being sung.

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under democratic control by apathetic republicans. Isn't this spring the proper time for voters to make a military record, having been a member matter there is no appeal.

Married, at the residence of Mr. J. K. Watkins of Hartford, Feb. 25, 1895, Mr. George Roper of Paw Paw to Miss Martha Littrick of Bangor, Rev. James Watkins of Hartford, officiating.

George Sherrod, who died suddenly at his home near Lake Cora on the 21st, was born in 1824 in Erie county, Pa. He came to Michigan in 1851 and was married in the same year to Mar-illa M. Kellogg, who survives him. There were five children born to them, four of whom are living. Mr. Sherrod was one of the pioneers of Van Buren county and 15 the earliest times took an active interest in the affairs of the community. He was many years a member of the Disciple church, and after a life of steady usefulness he died in his seventy-fourth year, having entered the seventy-fourth year, having entered the seventy-fourth year. joyed the unbroken respect and esteem of all who knew him. The funeral

A very pleasant wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. Alexander Jones of Lawton, Friday evening. February 22d, the high contracting parties being his daughter Maggie and Frank J. Stainton of Lawton. There were about forty-five guests present, among whom On Thursday, March 7, commencing were quite a number of Paw Paw peo-The ceremony was performed by O.J. Freer farm, six miles north of Paw Rev. H. L. Rood of Lawton. Two Calls promptly attended to. Charges Paw, a heavy work team, a half-blood greasonable. Office at Longwell Bro's Norman gelding, a half-blood Jersey drug store, Paw Paw, Mich. [2041-ly] cow, a yearling heifer, a quantity of Hartford and Mr. Lew Jones of Kalpoultry, a new top carriage, road cart. amazoo, a brother of the bride, stood up with the young couple. After the congratulations an elegant supper was congratulations an elegant supper was served. The presents were numerous and beautiful. Conspicuous among the silver was a gift from a friend and neighbor of his own workmanship, consisting of a chopping knife, a pancake turner and toasting fork, which will be highly prized. The company dispersed with many kind wishes and all agreed they had a most enjoyable evening.

Announcements.

the Baptist church next Sunday morn-

The Unity whist club will meet Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will subject to approval by the council, and

The Coterie will meet with Miss Jennie Pugsley Wednesday, March 6. Elec-tion of officers.

A. 3:30 this afternoon, the Solemn Way of the Cross will take place in St. Mary's church.

will give a coffee social at the home of O. H. P. Sheldon Tuesday evening,

The rehearsal for the Belles of Blackville will take place at Mrs. J. E. Chandler's Monday afternoon at 2:30, The W. F. M. society of the M. E.

Quarterly meeting will be held at the

Methodist church next Saturday and proach of spring are appearance of now and then a stray robin and the re-appearance of now Preaching by Presiding Elder being permitted to raise ‡ per cent for W. H. Carlisle Saturday and Sabbath. Quarterly conference at 3 p. m. Saturday. All are invited. Subject Sabbath evening, "Human Destiny," by the pastor.

> At the church of Christ Sunday morning next "Our Lord's Last Command." In the evening a special missionary five per cent of the assessed valuation program will be given in behalf of the for waterworks, and also to the same foreign missionary society.

Thursday, March 7, from 2:30 to-4:30 p. m., the monthly mothers' meeting convenes in the parlors of the First Baptist church. Topic, "Obedience."

These meetings are alike interesting ter provisions town Tuesday, to purchase lumber, and instructing to old and young and "All roads lead to Paw Paw" when the both are cordially invited.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyter-Monday, February 25, N. B. McKin-ney, assignee of the defunct Lawton bank sold at anguing independent agency.

GEN. C. L. EATON DEAD.

moned while at Detroit.

The people of this community were 523, just 26 in excess of the required shocked and grieved to learn Wednes- number. The opera house was well filled Frideric of the late Hon. Greene Pack. General Grove to 158 in South Haven, although

of an Illinois infantry regiment and also of a New York artillery company. He was much beloved by his army comrades and had been honored by a unanimons election as commander of the

state department, G. A. R. To his most intimate friends his sudden death was not wholly unexpected, as they knew he was liable at any time

to be taken in that way. The heartfelt sympathy of the entire community goes out to the stricken fam-

ily in their sad bereavement. The body is now lying in state at the capitol in Lansing, but will arrive here Saturday afternoon accompanied by the family, Governor Rich and other state officials. Immediately upon arrival, brief services will be held at the house, after which the remains will be placed in the vault at Prospect Hill.

OUR NEW CHARTER.

General Law for Incorporation of Vil-

lages has been Adopted. The legislature has passed and the governor has signed the bill for the general incorporation of villages, and the same took effect on Monday last, all special and general village charters being repealed. This brings Paw Paw, and every incorporated village as well,

under the provisions of the new law. Among the changes from our former charter that are of special interest are the following:

The village election is made to occur on the second Monday in March in each year instead of the first Monday as heretofore, and the polls are to be open from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m. The village board of registration is to be in session the Saturday preceding election

from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. The village council is composed of the same officials as before. We will in the future have a village clerk instead of recorder, and one assessor instead of two. The treasurer is made the collector of village taxes, instead of the marshal, which is exactly as it Rev. P. B. Ernsberger will preach at cial who is accountable for the safety

of the village funds. The marshal and street commissioner are to be appointed by the president, may be removed from office by the president. The compensation of the village officials is to be fixed by the

Among the specific powers of the council are found the suppression of saloons, which will put all villages of the state under a system of local option The ladies of the Free Baptist society by virtue of their charters, and the licensing of auctioneers, transient mer-chants, bucksters, peddlers, etc., a power which has in a measure been assumed by councils in the past; but the fees demanded for such licenses have not heretofore been collectible if been the case. This feature is a just one, and will meet the approbation of

As to taxation, the council is authorized to levy not to exceed 11 per cent for the general fund—an increase of the former limit, and also ‡ per cent for the purchase of a cemetery (a provision not likely to be applicable to Paw Paw), to levy a 5-mill tax for interest on bonds and for a sinking fund, and also some special assessments that have no local application or interest. The charter also authorizes villages, by a twothirds vote, to bond to the amount of

amount for electric lights. Taken as whole, the new charter will

A LOCAL OPTION ELECTION

Will Probably be Called -- Petitions Filed

and Supervisors Summoned. On Saturday last, the expected local option petitions were filed in the office of the county clerk. There were 2,341 more than one-fourth of the number of votes polled at the last general election, but there were defects in compliance with the statute that were found by the clerk on an inspection of the petitions that reduced the number to 1,

The principal defect was found by comparing the poll lists with the peti-tions. Every petition contained names not on the accompanying noll list, varying in number from two in. Pine